



CITY OF CARSON

November 9, 2006

Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors
Hall of Administration
Sachi A. Hamai, Executive Officer
Attention: Lachelle
500 W. Temple Street, Room 383
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Re: City of Carson
March 6, 2007, General Municipal Election

Enclosed please find a certified copy of the following General Municipal Election resolutions:

Resolution No. 06-137, "A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Carson, California, calling and giving notice of the holding of a General Municipal Election to be held on Tuesday, March 6, 2007, for the election of certain officers as required by the provisions of the laws of the State of California relating to General Law Cities."

Resolution No. 06-138, "A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Carson, California, requesting the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles to render specified services to the city relating to the conduct of a General Municipal Election to be held on Tuesday, March 6, 2007."

Resolution No. 06-139, "A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Carson, California, consenting to an election consolidation with the City of Los Angeles including the Los Angeles Community College District and ordering that the three (3) seats on the Board of Trustees of the Los Angeles Community College District appear on the ballot of the General Municipal Election to be held on Tuesday, March 6, 2007."

Sincerely,


Helen S. Kawagoe, CMC/MMC
City Clerk

Enclosures (3)
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RESOLUTION NO. 06-137

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARSON, CALIFORNIA, CALLING AND GIVING NOTICE OF THE HOLDING OF A GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, MARCH 6, 2007, FOR THE ELECTION OF CERTAIN OFFICERS AS REQUIRED BY THE PROVISIONS OF THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA RELATING TO GENERAL LAW CITIES

WHEREAS, under the provisions of the laws relating to general law cities in the State of California a General Municipal Election shall be held on March 6, 2007, for the election of Municipal Officers; and

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARSON, DOES RESOLVE, DECLARE, DETERMINE AND ORDER AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. That pursuant to the requirements of the laws of the State of California relating to General Law Cities, there is called and ordered to be held in the City of Carson, California, on Tuesday, March 6, 2007, a General Municipal Election for the purpose of electing two Members of the City Council for the full term of four years each; a City Clerk for the full term of four years; and a City Treasurer for the full term of four years.

SECTION 2. That the ballots to be used at the election shall be in form and content as required by law.

SECTION 3. That the City Clerk is authorized, instructed and directed to procure and furnish any and all official ballots, notices, printed matter and all supplies, equipment and paraphernalia that may be necessary in order to properly and lawfully conduct the election.

SECTION 4. That the polls for the election shall be open at seven o'clock a.m. of the day of the election and shall remain open continuously from that time until eight o'clock p.m. of the same day when the polls shall be closed, except as provided in § 14401 of the Elections Code of the State of California.

SECTION 5. That pursuant to Elections Code § 12310, a stipend for services for the persons named as precinct board members is fixed at the sum of \$100.00 for each Inspector and \$80.00 for each Clerk for the election. In addition, the sum of \$30.00 will be given to each precinct board member to attend a training class and the sum of \$25.00 to be given to each inspector to pick up the precinct supplies. The rental for each polling place, where a charge is made, shall be the sum of \$30.00 for the election. When required, the compensation of the Custodian of a building shall be \$25.00 for the election.

SECTION 8. That in all particulars not recited in this resolution, the election shall be held and conducted as provided by law for holding municipal elections.

I hereby certify that this document is
a full, true, and correct copy of the
document on file in this office

Debra S. Kawaguchi
City Clerk, City of Carson, CA

By *J. Salas*

Deputy
11/9/06
Date



SECTION 9. That notice of the time and place of holding the election is given and the City Clerk is authorized, instructed and directed to give further or additional notice of the election, in time, form and manner as required by law.

SECTION 10. That the City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this Resolution and enter it into the book of original Resolutions.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED ON THIS 8TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2006.

Jim Dear

Mayor Jim Dear

ATTEST:

Helen S. Kawagoe
City Clerk Helen Kawagoe

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

W. W. Wynder
City Attorney William W. Wynder

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES) ss.
CITY OF CARSON)

I, Helen S. Kawagoe, City Clerk of the City of Carson, California, do hereby certify that the whole number of members of the City Council is five; that the foregoing resolution, being Resolution No. 06-137 was duly and regularly adopted by said Council at an adjourned regular meeting duly and regularly held on the 8th day of November, 2006, and that the same was passed and adopted by the following vote:

AYES:	COUNCIL MEMBERS:	Mayor Dear, Ruiz-Raber, Santarina, Williams, and Gipson
NOES:	COUNCIL MEMBERS:	None
ABSTAIN:	COUNCIL MEMBERS:	None
ABSENT:	COUNCIL MEMBERS:	None

Helen S. Kawagoe
City Clerk, City of Carson, California

RESOLUTION NO. 06-138

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARSON, CALIFORNIA, REQUESTING THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES TO RENDER SPECIFIED SERVICES TO THE CITY RELATING TO THE CONDUCT OF A GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, MARCH 6, 2007

WHEREAS, a General Municipal Election is to be held in the City of Carson, California, on March 6, 2007; and

WHEREAS, in the course of conduct of the election it is necessary for the City to request services of the County; and

WHEREAS, all necessary expenses in performing these services shall be paid by the City of Carson;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARSON, CALIFORNIA, DOES RESOLVE, DECLARE, DETERMINE AND ORDER AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. That pursuant to the provisions of § 10002 of the Elections Code of the State of California, this City Council requests the Board of Supervisors of the County to permit the County Election Department to prepare and furnish to the City for use in conducting the election the computer record of the names and address of all eligible registered voters in the City in order that the City may print labels to be attached to self-mailer sample ballot pamphlets; and will make available to the City additional election equipment and assistance according to state law.

SECTION 2. That the City shall reimburse the County for services performed when the work is completed and upon presentation to the City of a properly approved bill.

SECTION 3. That the City Clerk is directed to forward without delay to the Board of Supervisors and to the County Election Department, each a certified copy of this resolution.

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I hereby certify that this document is
a full, true, and correct copy of the
document on file in this office

Helena S. Kawaguchi
City Clerk, City of Carson, CA

By *J Salause*

Deputy
11/9/06
Date



SECTION 4. That the City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this Resolution and enter it into the book of original Resolutions.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED ON THIS 8TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2006.

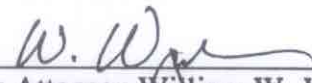


Mayor Jim Dear

ATTEST:


City Clerk Helen Kawagoe

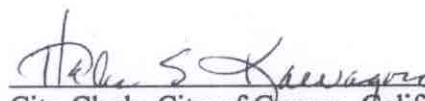
APPROVED AS TO FORM:


City Attorney William W. Wynder

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES) ss.
CITY OF CARSON)

I, Helen S. Kawagoe, City Clerk of the City of Carson, California, do hereby certify that the whole number of members of the City Council is five; that the foregoing resolution, being Resolution No. 06-138 was duly and regularly adopted by said Council at an adjourned regular meeting duly and regularly held on the 8th day of November, 2006, and that the same was passed and adopted by the following vote:

AYES:	COUNCIL MEMBERS:	Mayor Dear, Ruiz-Raber, Santarina, Williams, and Gipson
NOES:	COUNCIL MEMBERS:	None
ABSTAIN:	COUNCIL MEMBERS:	None
ABSENT:	COUNCIL MEMBERS:	None


City Clerk, City of Carson, California

RESOLUTION NO. 06-139

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARSON, CALIFORNIA, ADOPTING REGULATIONS FOR CANDIDATES FOR ELECTIVE OFFICE PERTAINING TO CANDIDATES STATEMENTS SUBMITTED TO THE VOTERS AT AN ELECTION

WHEREAS, §13307 of the Elections Code of the State of California provides that the governing body of any local agency adopt regulations pertaining to materials prepared by any candidate for a municipal election, including costs of the candidates statement;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARSON, CALIFORNIA, DOES HEREBY RESOLVE, DECLARE, DETERMINE AND ORDER AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. GENERAL PROVISIONS. That pursuant to §13307 of the Elections Code of the State of California, each candidate for elective office to be voted for at an Election to be held in the City of Carson on March 6, 2007, may prepare a candidate's statement on an appropriate form provided by the City Clerk. The statement may include the name, age and occupation of the candidate and a brief description of no more than 200 words of the candidate's education and qualifications expressed by the candidate himself or herself. The statement shall not include party affiliation of the candidate, nor membership or activity in partisan political organizations. The statement shall be filed in typewritten form in the office of the City Clerk at the time the candidate's nomination papers are filed. The statement may be withdrawn, but not changed, during the period for filing nomination papers and until 5:00 p.m. of the next working day after the close of the nomination period.

SECTION 2. FOREIGN LANGUAGE POLICY.

A. Pursuant to the Federal Voting Rights Act, the city is required to translate candidates statements into the following languages: Spanish and Tagalog.

B. The City Clerk shall

1. Translations:

Have all candidates statements translated into the languages specified in (A) above.

2. Printing:

(A) Print all translations of all candidates statements pursuant to (A). above, in facsimile voter pamphlets

(B) Print all translations of all candidates statements in the main voter pamphlet.

(C) The main voter pamphlet will be in English, Spanish, and Tagalog.

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I hereby certify that this document is
a full, true, and correct copy of the
document on file in this office

Hele S. Kauriga
City Clerk, City of Carson, CA

By *S. Salas*

Deputy
Date *11/9/06*



SECTION 3. PAYMENT.

A. Translations:

1. The candidate shall not be required to pay for the cost of translating the candidates statement into any required foreign language as specified in (A) and/or (B) of Section 2 above pursuant to Federal and/or State law.

B. Printing:

1. The candidate shall be required to pay for the cost of printing the candidates statement in English in the main voter pamphlet.
2. The candidate shall not be required to pay for the cost of printing the candidates statement in a foreign language required in (A) of Section 2 above, in the main voter pamphlet.
4. The candidate shall not be required to pay for the cost of printing the candidates statement in a foreign language required by (A) of Section 2 above, in the facsimile voter pamphlet.

The City Clerk shall estimate the total cost of printing, handling, translating, and mailing the candidate's statements filed pursuant to this section, including costs incurred as a result of complying with the Voting Rights Act of 1965 (as amended), and require each candidate filing a statement to pay in advance to the local agency his or her estimated pro rata share as a condition of having his or her statement included in the voter's pamphlet. In the event the estimated payment is required, the estimate is just an approximation of the actual cost that varies from one election to another election and may be significantly more or less than the estimate, depending on the actual number of candidates filing statements. Accordingly, the clerk is not bound by the estimate and may, on a pro rata basis, bill the candidate for additional actual expense or refund any excess paid depending on the final actual cost. In the event of underpayment, the clerk may require the candidate to pay the balance of the cost incurred. In the event of overpayment, the clerk shall prorate the excess amount among the candidates and refund the excess amount paid within 30 days of the election.

SECTION 4. ADDITIONAL MATERIALS. No candidate will be permitted to include additional materials in the sample ballot package.

SECTION 5. That the City Clerk shall provide each candidate or the candidate's representative a copy of this Resolution at the time nominating petitions are issued.

SECTION 6. That all previous resolutions establishing council policy on payment for candidates statements are repealed.

SECTION 7. That this resolution shall apply at the next ensuing municipal election and at each municipal election after that time.

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SECTION 8. That the City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this resolution and enter it into the book of original resolutions.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED ON THIS 8TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2006.

Jim Dear

Mayor Jim Dear

ATTEST:

Helen S. Kawagoe
City Clerk Helen Kawagoe

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

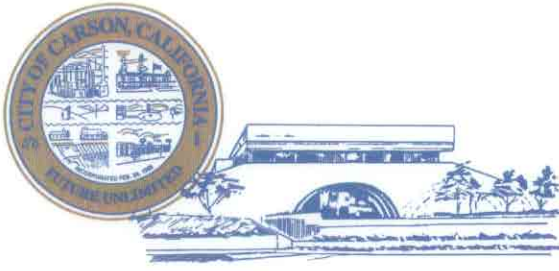
W. Wynder
City Attorney William W. Wynder

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES) ss.
CITY OF CARSON)

I, Helen S. Kawagoe, City Clerk of the City of Carson, California, do hereby certify that the whole number of members of the City Council is five; that the foregoing resolution, being Resolution No. 06-139 was duly and regularly adopted by said Council at an adjourned regular meeting duly and regularly held on the 8th day of November, 2006, and that the same was passed and adopted by the following vote:

AYES:	COUNCIL MEMBERS:	Mayor Dear, Ruiz-Raber, Santarina, Williams, and Gipson
NOES:	COUNCIL MEMBERS:	None
ABSTAIN:	COUNCIL MEMBERS:	None
ABSENT:	COUNCIL MEMBERS:	None

Helen S. Kawagoe
City Clerk, City of Carson, California



CITY OF CARSON

November 22, 2006

Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors
Hall of Administration
Sachi A. Hamai, Executive Officer
Attention: Lachelle
500 W. Temple Street, Room 383
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Re: City of Carson
March 6, 2007, General Municipal Election

Enclosed please find a certified copy of the following General Municipal Election resolution:

Resolution No. 06-156, "A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Carson, California, consenting to an Election Consolidation with the City of Los Angeles including the Los Angeles Community College District and Ordering that the Four (4) seats on the Board of Trustees of the Los Angeles Community College District and the One (1) Seat on the Board of Education of the Los Angeles Unified School District Appear on the Ballot of the General Municipal Election to be held on Tuesday, March 6, 2007."

Sincerely,


Helen S. Kawagoe, CMC/MMC
City Clerk

Enclosure
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RESOLUTION NO. 06-156

By S. Salas
Deputy
11/22/06
Date

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARSON, CALIFORNIA, CONSENTING TO AN ELECTION CONSOLIDATION WITH THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES, INCLUDING THE LOS ANGELES COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT AND THE LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT AND ORDERING THAT THE FOUR (4) SEATS ON THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE LOS ANGELES COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT AND THE ONE (1) SEAT ON THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT APPEAR ON THE BALLOT OF THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, MARCH 6, 2007

WHEREAS, a General Municipal Election will be held on Tuesday, March 6, 2007, and has been called by Resolution No. 06-137, adopted by the City Council of the City of Carson on November 8, 2006; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the City of Los Angeles' Resolution, the City Council of the City of Los Angeles is hereby requested to consent to a consolidation with the Primary Nominating Election of the City of Los Angeles, including the Los Angeles Community College District and the Los Angeles Unified School District, with the City's General Municipal Election scheduled to be held March 6, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the City of Los Angeles agrees to pay its' proportionate share of the costs relating to the conduct of this election.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARSON, CALIFORNIA, DOES RESOLVE, DECLARE, DETERMINE AND ORDER AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. That pursuant to the requirements of the laws of the State of California relating to General Law Cities, the City Council of the City of Carson hereby consents to consolidate the Primary Nominating Election of the City of Los Angeles, including the Los Angeles Community College District and the Los Angeles Unified School District for the purpose of electing four (4) Members of the Board of Trustees for the Los Angeles Community College District in Districts 1, 3, 5, and 7 and one (1) Member of the Board of Education of the Los Angeles Unified School District in District 7 with the General Municipal Election of the City of Carson.

SECTION 2. In the event it appears at a later time that it would be in the best interest of the voters in the City of Carson to conduct these elections concurrently, instead of by consolidation, then only a verbal agreement between the two City Clerks is required to do so. A concurrent election is when each city conducts its own election separately, but using the same polling places and sharing election workers. Voters will walk in, sign a Roster and vote a City of Carson ballot, deposit it in the City of Carson ballot box, and then sign a second Roster, vote a City of Los Angeles ballot and deposit it in the City of Los Angeles ballot box. The voters will get a sample ballot from each city, and will have to apply to each city for an absentee ballot from the respective city.

SECTION 3. In the event that the General Municipal Election to be held in the City of Carson should be cancelled due to insufficient candidates, then the City of Los Angeles will be responsible for the conduct of their election within the boundaries of the City of Carson.

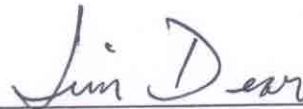
SECTION 4. That Resolution No. 06-137, previously adopted by the City Council of the City of Carson on November 8, 2006, set the polls to close at 7:00; and pursuant to Election Code Sections 10400 - 10418, and the acceptance of this requested consolidation, it is necessary to change the time that the polls will close, to 8:00 p.m., so that all precincts voting on such offices will have the same voting hours, and close at the same times.

SECTION 5. That in all particulars not recited in this resolution, the election shall be held and conducted as provided by law for holding municipal elections.

SECTION 6. That the City Clerk shall forward without delay, a copy of said resolution to the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors, the Los Angeles County Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk, and to the City Clerk of the City of Los Angeles.

SECTION 7. That the City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this Resolution and enter it into the book of original Resolutions.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 21st day of November, 2006.



Mayor Jim Dear

ATTEST:


City Clerk Helen Kawagoe

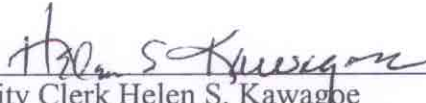
APPROVED AS TO FORM:


City Attorney William W. Wynder

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES) ss.
CITY OF CARSON)

I, Helen S. Kawagoe, City Clerk of the City of Carson, California, do hereby certify that the whole number of members of the City Council is five; that the foregoing resolution, being Resolution No. 06-156 was duly and regularly adopted by said Council at a regular meeting duly and regularly held on the 21st day of November, 2006, and that the same was passed and adopted by the following vote:

AYES:	COUNCIL MEMBERS:	Mayor Dear, Ruiz-Raber, Santarina, Williams and Gipson
NOES:	COUNCIL MEMBERS:	None
ABSTAIN:	COUNCIL MEMBERS:	None
ABSENT:	COUNCIL MEMBERS:	None



City Clerk Helen S. Kawagoe